

VINLAND LUTHERAN CHURCH
JOB DESCRIPTION
Director of Youth Ministry

Reports directly to the Pastor of Vinland Lutheran Church with guidance and support of the youth committee.

Qualifications:

1. High School Diploma with some college education in Christian Ministry or Education preferred.
2. Minimum of six months experience in Youth Ministry or a leadership position.
3. Clear a Washington State criminal background check
4. Become a member of Vinland Lutheran Church within six months of hire
5. Possess a valid and current state issued driver's license
6. Minimum 21 years of age

Mission Statement of Youth

To provide the Youth of Vinland Lutheran Church a safe place to build relationships where everyone is respected, valued, heard and can be who they genuinely are without judgement. We believe our youth ministry is rooted in and sustained by God's love known through the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

The Youth Group, aka LOFT of Vinland Lutheran Church consists of youths in grades 6-12.

We seek to fulfill this mission through the following:

Duties:

1. Communicates frequently with the youth and their families. Visits, builds relationships with, and seeks their active involvement in the program.
2. Develops and implements Youth ministry programs and Christian education.
3. Provides opportunities for spiritual growth via activities and Bible study.
4. Offers weekly youth group and/or other regular fellowship events and activities.
5. Integrates youth into the life of the church as a whole.
6. Organizes/schedules/coordinates various youth events throughout the year including Family Camp, VBS, Christmas Program, and LOFT Adventures
7. Attend weekly staff meetings to collaborate with other staff members in fulfilling the mission of Vinland Lutheran Church.
8. Is available for youth and their parents for support and guidance.
9. May collaborate with other church youth programs.
10. Seeks opportunities for spiritual and professional growth.
11. Serve as a role model for the youth in the church.

It is expected that this position will require about 20 hours per week with an hourly wage of \$18-\$20/hour DOE.

All interested applicants should submit a cover letter and resume to vinland@vinlandlc.org or mailed to PO Box 2134, Poulsbo, WA 98370. Any questions please call 360-779-3428 or email vinland@vinlandlc.org